

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure  
 : Customer Number: 41552  
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 Smith, Terry J., et al. : Confirmation Number: 5468  
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 Application No.: 10/038,509 : Group Art Unit: 1644  
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 Filed: January 03, 2002 : Examiner: ROONEY, Nora Maureen  
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 For: DIAGNOSIS AND THERAPY OF ANTIBODY-MEDIATED INFLAMMATORY AUTO-IMMUNE DISORDERS

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to the Final Office Action mailed June 27, 2008, in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☒ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☒ Petition for Three Month Extension of Time  
☒ Notice of Appeal

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	10	20	0	\$26.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	\$110.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$555.00
Fee for notice of appeal					\$270.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$825.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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